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RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

PASSENGER.
Arrives.....1:30 a. m.
Leaves.....4.00 p. m.
LOCAL.
Arrives.....5:15 p. m.
Leaves.....8:20 a. m.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 9.—Thirty-nine prisoners, serving sentences for minor crimes, escaped from the south side city jail between 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, by digging through a 16 inch brick wall with pocket knives. Five of those who escaped were captured yesterday.

The cattlemen naturally regard President Roosevelt as one of them because he has wielded the lariat and branding iron, and knows personally of the joys, the hardships and fatigue of life on the ranch and range. It is presumed that once having been a ranchman in the West, Colonel Roosevelt understands the cattle business, and that he sympathizes with needs and the aspirations of the cattlemen. It will doubtless be particularly gratifying to the President to know that he is held in such affectionate esteem by the stockmen of the expansive West.

Queer how a case of whiskey straight Can give a man a crooked gait.
—Gainsville Hesperian.

And how a crooked candidate Can win his race on whiskey straight.
—Houston Post.

Or how a Texas Newspaper man Can write after he has hit a "can"—Clarke Stock Farm.

Even religion seems to be getting too good for common people. Along this line the Christian Observer states that a certain district in New York City has doubled in population in 20 years, and that from the same district, in that time 15 churches have been removed to more fashionable localities. The tendency of the churches, latterly, seems to be to turn the poor people of the cities over to the Salvation Army or the devil. In other words, if a man is too poor to pay, and the Salvation Army can't save him for nothing, let him go to hell.—Ex.

Well, it seems that way in more places than New York. There is getting to be too much attention paid to dress, head gear, and to be in the fashion. Since it takes 999 poor people to make one rich one, it is evident there are no end of people who feel out of place and not at home in the various houses of worship. They are not made to feel welcome, and when it comes to Christians being recognized by their meek and lowly manners, we at present would not know how to describe such a class of people if called upon to furnish such a description.



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Mrs. Wildes P. Walker, of Kennebec, Me., has in her possession one of the most famous punch bowls in the State of Maine. Her late husband made his home for many years at the Astorhouse and had the bowl presented to him. The elder Stetson, father of the famous proprietor of the Astor house, in years gone by kept an old-fashioned inn in the town of Salem. It was a place where Hawthorne and his kindly spirits used to delight to gather, so when Lafayette visited America and decided to include Salem among the towns he honored with his presence, he was invited to be a guest at this inn. For his reception an imported punch-bowl was ordered. It is a magnificent one of old Dutch blue china. In keeping with the bowl is a ladle, which is of solid silver and holds enough punch to fill a glass. The first glass of punch served from this bowl was handed to Lafayette on the occasion of his visit to Salem, and since that time many are the famous men who have quenched their thirst from it.

CHRISTMAS CANDIES AT J. H. SMITH & CO.

Blanke Bros. and Duerler's box candies are the proper thing for presents, we have them at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and upwards. Come and see them before buying. J. H. Smith & Co.

Freedom for Professions.

Mexico City, Dec. 11.—After a prolonged discussion, lasting several days, the Lower House of Congress has approved a bill providing for the free exercise of all professions. The vote stood 76 to 56.

There had been a heated debate on this matter and regular physicians, lawyers, etc., holding diplomas have generally been opposed to the measure though many took a liberal position and favored a new law. When the Chamber of Deputies had adjourned the crowd seized Don Pablo Macedo, the chief advocate of this measure, in their arms and bore him in triumph to his carriage, while a crowd of opponents of the measure went to the office of the El Imparcial, a newspaper advocate of free exercise of all professions, and shouted death to El Imparcial, and had finally to be dispersed by the police.

The Senate has a similar measure before it and it is expected will approve it.

TIRES SET AT MITCHELL'S.

Wagon tires are put on by the cold shrinkage process at \$2.00 per set—don't burn up your wheel—John M. Moody is in charge at H. H. Mitchell's Blacksmith and Carriage Works.

Genuine Eclipse mills, without any imitation or frill attachments, at Hagelstein's.

Mr. Wm. L. Black, Ft. Mc Kave, Texas, says: The possibilities of the Angora are, in my opinion, very great, and I shall be very much surprised if we do not make greater improvement in it than in the old Spanish Merino sheep. I believe eight pounds per head will be a very common average shearing with in the next few years, if not more. This may seem to be an exaggerated opinion, but I would remind the reader that we have many individual wethers and bucks that shear from 12 to 15 pounds, at the present time, and doe's from 6 to 10 pounds, at the present time, and we have hardly made a beginning. We aim to make the American Angora goat superior to any other in the world, and I venture to predict that it will be but a few years before it will be so recognized by our competitors, and that South Africa and Turkey will be sending here for the "American Angora."

The Best Time.

The best time to cure pain is when you first feel it. Always have a bottle of Gooch's Quick Relief in the house. Cures external or internal pain, and costs only 25 cents. Cures cramps and colic.

The cattle roping at Ozona on Dec. 25th promises to be the most hotly contested exhibition with the lariat ever before shown in the western metropolis. The following experts with the lariat have agreed to enter up to date: Hawley Allen, J. N. Hewitt, Fred Baker, Sam and Kirby Nutt, Lee Wilson and W. S. Talbert of San Angelo; Bert Weir and Billie Schrimshire, of Garden City; John Boils of Harris Bros. Of ranch; John McLain and Sam Murray of Pecos county.

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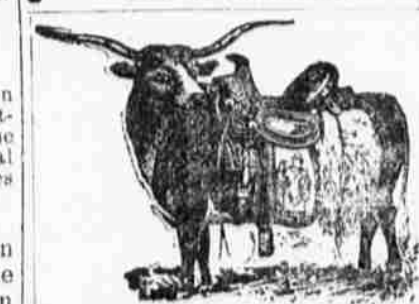
Dallas, Tex.—The Texas & Pacific railroad company received an order from Los Angeles, Cal., for 200 servant girls, waitresses and others at salaries ranging from \$25 to \$40 per month. The only condition imposed is that the girls shall pay their own fare to Los Angeles. This is done to protect employers, there being no guarantee that the servants will work after arriving, if their fare is paid by the hotel people. The local railroad people say they are unable to even partly fill the order as the servant girl question is bothering Texas as well as the East and West.

FOR SALE

The Sonora Mail and Stage Line running from San Angelo to Christoval, Eldorado and Sonora. A good paying business, consisting of 3 hacks, 40 head of good horses, three double sets of harness and all the necessary equipments and privileges. Will be sold cheap for cash. Address TOM & WIL. SABEL.

A CURE FOR LUMBAGO.
W. C. Williamson, of Amhurst, Va., says: "For more than a year I suffered from lumbago. I finally tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me entire relief, which all other remedies had failed to do." Sold by the Central Drug Store.

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For your Christmas and New Year is offered by the Texas & Pacific Railway Company. This popular line, which has always been most prominent in handling holiday excursions, will sell round trip tickets between all points on their line in Texas and Louisiana and to points on other lines in Texas, on Dec. 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th and 31st, and January 1st with a final limit to return as late as January 3rd, 1902, at rate of fare and a third for the round trip. Also on Dec. 21st, 22nd and 23rd, will sell round trip tickets to points in Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Indian and Oklahoma Territories, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, all southeastern states, and to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colorado, and to Mexico, at the rate of a fare and a third for the round trip. These latter tickets to be limited to return 30 days from date of sale. Choice of inviting routes will be offered and every politeness will be shown, and every effort made by our employees to see that patrons are enabled to make the trip pleasantly, and our equipment cannot be equalled.

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Capt. E. B. McBurnett will ship about 1000 head of cattle to the Territory from Sweetwater. He has secured pasture and feels perfectly safe if he can land them at destination before a blue northern arrives.—Reporter.

Praise the bridge that carries you over either a flood or cough. Ballard's Horehound Syrup has brought so many over throat and lung troubles, such as coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., that its praises are sung everywhere. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale by J. W. Harris & Co.

Will Test the Legality of Inspector's Certificate.

A stockman by the name of Turner, with ranches in Runnels county, recently crossed about 800 head of cattle above the quarantine line on certificate of an inspector but were on second inspection held up in Howard county as being infested with ticks. Mr. Turner proposes, so it is said, to make a test case of it, and the chances are that he will win. It is a Government regulation that all cattle must be inspected before crossing the line, and this regulation that all cattle must be carried out by the State through its live stock sanitary board, according to the proclamation issued by the Governor some two months ago. If Mr. Turner's cattle were free from ticks, as his certificate showed, by what right or authority does another inspector set his decision at naught? If they crossed the line free of ticks it is a self evident fact that they became infested after crossing the line. The question arises then, has the State or the Government the legal right to interfere with them or compel the owner to remove them below the line? Again, a question which will likely arise in the trial of this case is, whether or not the State, after permitting cattle to cross the line with a clean bill of health, has the right to place them in quarantine. There is something wrong with a system which permits a stockman to suffer severe financial loss after complying with the requirements of the law. If the State or the Government is not bound by the action of its agents, it is about time the stockmen below the line were finding it out. The result of the controversy will be looked forward to with no little interest by all stockmen and especially those below the line.

SAW DEATH NEAR.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with Consumption that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life." It's absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1. at J. W. Harris & Co. Trial bottles free.

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Wine of Cardui is the guardian of a woman's health and happiness from youth to old age. It helps her safely into womanhood. It sustains her during the trials of pregnancy, childbirth and motherhood, making labor easy and preventing flooding and miscarriage. It gently leads her through the dangerous period known as the change of life.

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cures leucorrhoea, falling of the womb, and menstrual irregularity in every form. It is valuable in every trying period of a woman's life. It reinforces the nervous system, acts directly on the genital organs and is the finest tonic for women known. Ask your druggist for a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui.

Batesville, Ala., July 11, 1900. I am using Wine of Cardui and Theodor's Black Draught and I feel like a different woman already. Several ladies here keep the medicines in their homes all the time. I have three girls and they are using it with me.
Mrs. KATH BROWDER.
For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

After He Comes

he has a hard enough time. Everything that the expectant mother can do to help her child she should do. One of the greatest blessings she can give him is health, but to do this, she must have health herself. She should use every means to improve her physical condition. She should, by all means, supply herself with

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Savannah, Ga., Dec. 14.—Mrs.

Catharine O'Keefe, of this city has been notified of the probable death of her husband, David D. O'Keefe, a sea captain, who has been engaged in the trade with the Caroline Islands. He is said to have left an estate worth a million dollars. He was known in the Oriental trade as "King O'Keefe" of Yap, the island which he practically owned. He was virtually the king of the natives, and had a profitable trade in Hongkong. Last June he sent his wife a check for \$1500 from Hongkong where he had disposed of a cargo of copra and other native products. His vessel has not been heard of since it left Hongkong. Mrs. O'Keefe has taken steps to secure his estate.

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